AHS Newscast

By Jane Holt

November 10, 1954

Dear June,

The Senior Class elected its Hall of Fame Thursday. We have a fine representation of our class in this group. They are:

Best Looking: Loretta Wells and Jerry Nash.

Neatest: Mary Watt Stanley and Curtis Wooten.

Cutest: Mary Jane Cole and Paul Nash.

Most Likely to Succeed: Betty Jean Goad and Hugh Gurney.

Most Athletic: Nancy Doss and Jerry George.

Most Intellectual: Lucy Perdue and Charles Trent.

Most Talented: Edna Gregory and Teddy Mitchell.

Wittiest: Violet Martin and Ronnie Lewis.

Most Popular: Eloise Couch and Robert Leffers.

Best All Around: Jane Holt and Deetsie Rothgeb.

A. H. S. held its first meeting of their S. C. A. council November 2. The business consisted of: Planning to revise the students handbook to introduce an honor system in A. H. S., and to carry out the plan of "Gik Week." Representatives were also selected to attend the District S. C. A. meeting in Lynchburg November 15th. They are Edna Gregory, Teddy Mitchell, Ronnie Lewis, Eloise Couch, Shirley Smith, Garland Doss, Betty Dale Robinson, Barbara Wooldridge, Martha Hughes and Joan Proffitt.

The first year group of Civitas Romana elected the following officers:

Eddie Rothgeb—Imperator

Lois Ashworth—Imperator Secundus

Joan Akers—Scriba

Terrell Martin—Nuntia

Larue Carson—Pontifex Maximus.

They plan to have a program on Veterans Day, featuring American and Roman heroes.

Appomattox varsity chalked up another victory Friday afternoon when they defeated Augusta Military Academy 12 - 6. Teddy Mitchell and Deetsie Rothgeb scored our two touchdowns. John Rothgeb performed another outstanding job in passing. The entire line played an excellent game.

This week our Varsity versus E. C. Glass J. V.'s at the ball park on Thursday night rather than the usual Friday night game. We wish Coach Bragg and his players the best of luck, I know they will keep up their good record.

Friday we were fortunate at having the guest minister at Liberty Baptist Church, Dr. T. Rupert Coleman, of Richmond, speak to us. The topic of his talk was "Are You Living?" It was most inspirational to the entire student body.

This concludes the hapenings around AHS this week. Be looking for more news from me next week.

'Til then,

Jane.

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Monday, Nov. 15.- Beef pot pie cranberry sauce, hot roll, butter apple, celery and raisin salad, milk.

Tuesday Nov. 16.- Pinto beans sliced cucumber pickle, hot cheese biscuits, apple sauce, cookies, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 17.- Weinie in roll, cole slaw, country fried potatoes, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 18.- Beef and vegetable soup, grilled cheese sandwich, blue plums, milk.

Friday, Nov. 19.- Ham biscuits black-eyed peas, can tomatoes, ginger bread with raisin sauce, milk.

Rocks

Rocks, Nov. 8.- Well, November brought real winter weather last Tuesday.

Several from Central had charge of the prayer service on Tuesday night. They also furnished some special music.

Mrs. E. M. Almond, of Lynchburg spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Anderson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Marks spent a few days in Lynchburg with their children last week.

Cassie Baldwin and Mrs. J. A. Garrett were visiting Dr. and Mrs. Carl A. Collins, Jr. at Appomattox Wednesday night and also attended the revival at Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Inge and children and Mrs. D. R. Inge went to see Myron Richardson on Wednesday night. He is improving after breaking his arm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Anderson took their daughter, Mrs. E. M. Almond to Pamplin Thursday afternoon where she visited Cassie Baldwin before going to Lynchburg on the 7:15 bus.

Mrs. Toby Inge and children took the former's mother, Mrs. J. A. Garrett to Lynchburg Saturday and to see the latter's son, Nelson Garrett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Dickerson and Danny, of Brookneal were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dickerson and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Almond Sunday.

Mrs. W. F. Ranson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ranson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Elder attended the service at the Seventh-day Adventist Church at Appomattox recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Almond and family spent last Sunday in Richmond.

Rocks was represented at the Training Union Executive Board meeting at Evergreen last Monday night.

Rev. David L. Bailey was here for the service last night after being in a revival meeting at Danville for two weeks.

Rhomy Wilson was awarded a medal for being with the Telephone Company for 26 years of service.

Farmers May Gain Little By Cutting Rusted Grain

The widespread impression among farmers that it is advisable to cut rusted wheat fields "on the green side" to save them from further rust damage, may be wrong.

S. B. Fenne, plant pathologist at VPI, reporting on work at the Plant Pathology Laboratory, Winnipeg Canada, says the tests indicated there is nothing to be gained by the practice, and perhaps something to be lost. Cutting the green grain especially with a combine, quickly stops further filling of the heads. It is true, on the other hand, that badly rusted grain should not be allowed to stand until it is dead-ripe because rusted stems are brittle and break easily. It seems most advisable to cut the grain at about the time it would have been cut if no rust had been present.

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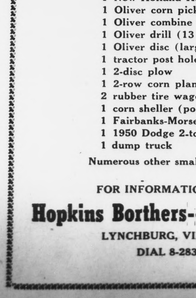

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Evergreen

Evergreen, Nov. 9.- Rev. Persinger is teaching a missionary study book for the W. S. C. S. Monday and Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pringle and family, of Harrisonburg spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Evans. Mrs. Evans is recovering from an operation.

Mrs. Mateland Hudson conducted prayer service here at the Methodist Church Sunday night. She brought a wonderful message.

Mrs. Emma Thomas, who has been ill with pneumonia, is reported better. Mrs. C. I. Harvey and Mrs. H. D. Baker and Mrs. Evie Anderson spent several days with her this last week.

Friends of Ernest Farrar are glad to see him able to be in the village on several occasions.

Mrs. Owen Henderson is recovering from an attack of arthritis.

Bob Harris was a luncheon guest of Rosa Mae Wooldridge Sunday.

Warren Barlow, Jr. is in Medical College Hospital, Richmond, for an operation. His little sister, Debbie, is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Staples spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam White and family in Lynchburg.

Junior Franklin had the misfortune to cut his foot and several stitches had to be taken.

Miss Irma Jones and brother, Edward, of Halifax spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bruce and family and Mr. M. L. Hudson.

Mrs. H. C. Staples and Mrs. Dorothy L. Blythe attended the county teachers' association Tuesday night.

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4-H CLUB MEMBERS TO OBSERVE ACHIEVEMENT DAY NOVEMBER 13

Virginia's 4-H Club members, some 61,000 strong, will join in observing National 4-H Achievement Day this Saturday, Nov. 13.

Dr. W. E. Skelton, state 4-H club agent at VPI, says plans for the occasion include luncheons, banquets, and other special events—local and countrywide— where the 4-H'ers, leaders, and parents will be guests and speakers.

Sharing the honors in Virginia will be more than 5,000 men and women who serve as local volunteer leaders.

This year's total 4-H enrollment of 2,058,144 in the 48 states, Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico, represents an increase of more than 42,000 over the previous 12-month period. Also, it means the highest over-all participation in 4-H club history, and brings the aggregate number of youth receiving the training through the years to nearly 17,000,000. During the past year nearly 87,000 clubs were active with the average club reaching 21 boys and girls.

Dr. Skelton says 4-H'ers in the past year, working toward their long-range goals, carried out projects to produce and conserve food, feeds, and fibers; to make their farms more efficient and profitable; to stress personal health and safety; to protect natural resources and wildlife; and to cooperate in a wide variety of community services.

Club work is a part of the national educational system of cooperative extension work in agriculture and homemaking, in which the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the state land-grant colleges (VPI in Virginia), and the counties share. Two important groups supporting 4-H are the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work in Chicago, and the National 4-H Club Foundation, currently located in Silver Spring, Md.

Pamplin

Pamplin, Nov. 9.- Mr. and Mrs. A. Robinson and children of Lotte County were Sunday guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. T. Terry.

Mrs. L. L. Dickerson and Mr. W. Richardson spent the last week in the home of their sister and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fore, of Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Mobley of Roanoke were week-end visitors relatives here.

Mrs. Reeve, of Tennessee, is visiting in the home of her son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Reeve.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson, of Richmond, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bass, son, Wilson and Mary Ellen Clenny were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bass of Hudsburg.

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Hunting Season Set For Opening Saturday

Father Oakleaf

By c. h. r.

Thursday in Roanoke, Virginia annual "military classic" a top billing. The meeting of and V. M. I. in football has been a major news event Old Dominion, and season's mean little when these two ish. But this year, V. P. I. of the best football records ade by a Virginia college ory a tie with William and en the Tech record, and the currently listed among the ams in the nation.

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pite of all this was that a porof the available money went to ian Institute for Negro stuand the General Assembly de- start a new school for white at March 21, 1872. Dr. Harvey ge in Richmond to arrange over the Preston and Olin into a new land grant col- (Continued on Page Eight)

Christmas Club Cash Aid Business

A "shot in the arm" for pre-holiday retail trade, now coming up, was felt in Appomattox this week as Christmas Club checks appeared. The total of collective Christmas Club savings was not made known, but it is known that a great number of local people have been using this method all year to save up cash for holiday purchases. Both local banks instituted the Christmas Club plan this year, and this is the holiday season here when retailing has had such a boost.

At the same time that the 1954 Christmas Club money was being made available as cash, the two local banks announced plans to begin the 1955 Christmas Clubs. By depositing a small amount each week in a Christmas Club account, the individual is able to build up a substantial sum for holiday needs.

Awards Given By 4-H Clubs

4-H Club Achievement Day was observed here last Saturday, with a program being held at Lee Theatre for the approximately 500 4-H club members in the county.

4-H awards were presented by Mrs. B. G. Anderson, home agent, and Delbert L. Whitehead, the assistant county agent.

Medals in the bread demonstration classification were presented to Louise Ranson, Betty Baldwin and Ross Lee Shelton, of the Pamplin 4-H Club.

The award on citizenship went to Betty Jean Goad, of the Appomattox Senior 4-H Club.

The award on entomology went to William D. Carson, of Appomattox Senior 4-H Club.

Shawn Mabley and Sammy Ferguson received the awards on farm and home electric projects.

David Doss was presented the field crops award.

Garden project winners were as follows: Eloise Rosser and Ann Martin of Pamplin 4-H Club; Sara Adams and Joyce Cheatham of the Spout Spring Club.

Girl's Record award went to Patricia Alvis.

Gene Carson and Cary Ann Carson were poultry project winners.

Shawn Mabley was presented the award for public speaking.

Bobby Barger, vice president of the County 4-H Council presided at the Achievement Day program. R. B. Hudgins, county agent, conducted the devotion. Betty Mitchell read the State 4-H Club Short Course and Shawn Mabley gave a report on the 4-H Electric Congresss.

Spout Spring P.-T. A.

The P.-T. A. of Spout Spring school held its regular meeting at the school Friday night, Nov. 12. Mrs. M. E. Beane, president, presided over the business part of the meeting, after which the meeting was turned over to the program chairman. The children of the school gave a splendid program in observance of "American Education Week." The next meeting will be held in December.

MISSION STUDY COURSE AT LIBERTY; NEW CIRCLE ORGANIZED

A Mission Study class will be held tonight at the Liberty Baptist Church for the W. M. S. of that church, and with the Hebron Church W. M. S. as guests.

The book, "Pilgrimage to Brazil" will be taught at 7:30 P.M.by James Hall. The R. A. and G. A. Study will be taught by Dorothy Garrett. A cover dish supper, honoring the new circle, will be held at 6 P. M.

Mrs. Evrod Conner and Mrs. Vernell Mitchell were instrumental in organining the new circle and the charter members are Mrs. Jack Martin, Mrs. Sam Almond, Mrs. Jack Davis and Mrs. Carl Wooldridge.

Mrs. Carl Collins is the mission study chairman.

Abbitt Asks Reappraisel Drought Aid

Washington.- Representative Watkins M. Abbitt (D.- Va.) this week urged Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson to personally review the facts concerning Virginia's new appeal for Federal drought assistance as "the final hope" for the state's hard-pressed farmers.

The Fourth District Representative in a letter to the Secretary said he is convinced the invetsgiation of Virginia's needs has not taken into account a "realistic consideration" of the problems involved.

Abbitt urged Benson to "correct the error of judgment" on the part of those who have weighed the factors and to bring relief to the 28 Virginia counties which have been hard hit by the state's third drought in three years.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture Emergency Drought Committee is now studying the application submitted by the Virginia Drought Committee which gathered new facts in re-submitting the Virginia case.

"Unless this is done," Abbitt said "it is obvious that there is little hope of Virginia's application being approved in view of the attitude of the representative of the Federal Drought Committee who was sent to Virginia to find out if we need drought relief."

The congressman attacked the report made on Virginia's situation after an investigation into conditions in the state's counties. "Anyone familiar with livestock feeding conditions in Virginia knows that conditions of pasture at this time of year, good or bad, has nothing whatever to do with the feeding needs of our livestock during the winter months."

"Apparently the representative of the Department who came to Virginia to investigate our application came with the avowed intention of disapproving the request. He has stated publicly that because of the recent rains which have improved pastures, Virginia no longer needs drought relief. This is, of course, absurd. Present pasture conditions have nothing to do with our request. The question is how much hay and other feed were our farmers able to harvest and store for winter feed.

"Apparantly he made no inquiry as to this. There is a much greater shortage this year of available hay and feed for use during the winter feeding period than last year. We are in a critical state due to the lack of hay and other feeds with which to get our livestock through the the winter feeding period.

"It is not right, fair or just to reject the application of Virginia for drought relief upon the recommendation of this field representative who was sent here and who apparently did not know and does not now know our problems and has made no real effort to find them out."

LEGION AUXILIARY

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 104 held its regular November meeting at the school just prior to the National Education Week program Tuesday evening.

At this meeting it was voted to contribute to a TV set for McGuire Hospital and to purchase six dozen saucers for the Legion Home.

In order to cooperate with the Legion in its "Back to God" movement, it was decided that the Auxiliary would meet at the Presbyterian Church at 7:15 Sunday night and attend the Union Thanksgiving Service in a group.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Monday, Nov. 22.- Baked beans with bacon, buttered greens, fruit cup, cookie, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 23.- Roast beef and gravy, cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, string beans, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 24.- Weinie in roll, cole slaw, buttered corn and green butter beans, milk.

HAZEL MOON CIRCLE HAS BAKE SALE

The Hazel Moon Circle of Liberty Baptist Church will have a bake sale here this Saturday.

PLAN A FALL CLEAN-UP WEEK

A fall Clean-Up Week is being planned in Appomattox, and has been set for the week of Nov. 29. The Town Council approved the project at its meeting Monday night. The Garden Club will urge the support of the public in this effort. It will be the first official Fall Clean-Up Week here.

TURKEY SHOOT AT PAMPLIN

A Turkey Shoot will be held at Pamplin each Saturday, beginning this Saturday, Nov. 20. It is sponsored by the Pamplin Volunteer Fire Company and by the Pamplin Ruritan Club. The hours will be 1:00 to 5:00 P. M. The Shoot will be held each Saturday, concluding January 1.

Lions Attend Presentation At Dillwyn

Members of the Appomattox Lions Club plan to attend the Charter Presentation Night of the Dillwyn Lions Club tonight at the Dillwyn Elementary School. A ladies night banquet will be served at 7 o'clock, followed by the presentation of the charter to the newly formed Dillwyn Lions Club.

The guest speaker for the evening will be Representative Watkins M. Abbitt, of Appomattox. Mr. Abbitt is a member of the Appomattox Lions Club.

District Lions Governor Al K. Wood, of Altavista, will present the charter to W. Wayne Dawson, president of the new club.

The Dillwyn Lions Club will hold regular meetings on the second and fourth Wednesdays evenings of each month.

It is understood that some 15 members of the Appomattox Club plan to attend tonight's occasion.

MT. COMFORT BIBLE CLASS

The Friend-Seekers Bible Class of Mt. Comfort Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Martin, Jr., on Friday, November 19, at 7:45.

Blood Donor Day Set For December 13th

The Appomattox Chapter of the American Red Cross is making preparations for the next visit of the Bloodmobile, which is set for December 13, it was announced today.

Once again, through the cooperation of Dr. Carl A. Collins, Jr. and his congregation, the facilities of Liberty Baptist Church are made available to the Red Cross for the Blood Donor Day.

Appointments for blood donors will be made for the hours 11:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M.

The public is urged to set aside 30 minutes of time on December 13 to help neighbors with a blood donation.

Demonstration Club Schedule

The schedule of Home Demonstration Clubs for next week is as follows:

Tuesday, Nov. 23.- The Trinity Home Demonstration Club will meet at 10:30 A. M. with Mrs. Len Martin. Mrs. R. B. Martin and Mrs. S. G. Martin will give the demonstration. Members are planning a Christmas Bazaar to raise funds for the club treasury.

Wednesday, Nov. 24.- The Spout Spring Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:00 P. M. with Mrs. George Collins. Mrs. H. S. Jones Jr. and Mrs. Wesley Martin will give the demonstration on Teas and Receptions.

The regular meeting of the Appomattox Town Council was held on Monday night.

Title Football Game Here This Saturday

The Appomattox Blue Hornets will meet undefeated Emporia High School here Saturday night, Nov. 20, at 8:00 o'clock in the Town Ball Park.

This game will decide the Regional Championship between District 3 and District 4 teams. Emporia represents the 3rd district and Appomattox the 4th. The winner of Saturday night's game will be Regional Champion in football.

The Emporia High School team is undefeated this season, and ranks at least a twotouchdown favorite over the Blue Hornets, according to the previous records of the two teams.

A. H. S. ended its regular season with a record of six won and three lost.. They were undefeated in their district games. The Blue Hornets won over Altavista, Gretna, Bedford and Brookville in district league games.

Emporia has gone undefeated, in games with Randolph-Henry, Blackstone, Crewe, Victoria, Farmville, Kenbridge and Lawrenceville.

The Blue Hornets have come a long way since the first of the season when they dropped three straight games. Barring injuries and "the flu bug," the Appomattox team will put on a worthy exhibition Saturday night and Coach Gordon Bragg anticipates the largest crowd ever to see a football game here.

Extra bleachers will be borrowed from Virginia Episcopal School, of Lynchburg, to help accomodate the expected crowd.

Admission price will be $1.00 for adults and fifty cents for students who buy the tickets at the school before Saturday night. IPTAY Club tickets will be good for this game.

Dr. Lancaster Urges Greater School Interest

The celebration of National Education Week was held on Tuesday night at 8:15 in the local school auditorium.

The meeting was opened by C. T. Moses, Jr., president of the P.-T. A., and the invocation was given by Dr. Twyman Williams. Mr. Moses then turned the program over to Mrs. Ivey Holland, president of Unit 104, American Legion Auxiliary, who gave a history of National Education Week and introduced Mr. Weymouth Rothgeb, who served as master of ceremonies for the dramatization of "What's Right in Flag Etiquette." In this skit, the Boy Scouts, Dickie Hamilton, Charles Crawley, and John Ivey Holland; Girls Scouts, Kitty Lou O'Brien, Virginia Shouse and Virginia Caroline Caldwell and Virginia Lee Meginson and Jerry Martin had part.

The president then introduced Division Superintendent Jerry A. Burke, who presented the guest speaker, Dr. Dabney Lancaster, of Longwood College, who spoke on "Good Schools are Your Responsibility."

Dr. Lancaster stated that we can have as good schools as we want. He said that we have been too long satisfied with less than the best. It is necessary to want good teachers enough to pay enough to attract good teachers and then choose between them. Close cooperation between parent and teacher is also necessary, in order to maintain and encourage an inquiring mind. He said "Mr. Jefferson separated church and state but not schools and religion. We must have religious training for our youth through an example on the part of parents and teachers."

Dr. Lancaster answered the question, "Can we afford good schools?" by stating, "We certainly cannot afford bad ones or indifferent schools."

WOODMEN NEWS

The Supreme Forest Woodman Circle, Grove 73, will meet Tuesday Nov. 23, 7:30 P. M. at the American Legion Hall. A door prize will be given. Plans will be made for the Christmas party. All members be present.

Appomattox County sportsmen will take to the woods and fields on Saturday, November 20, for the opening of the general season.

The general feeling is that this will be one of the best hunting seasons in recent years. Deer, turkeys and quail will be the principal targets for local nimrods. The deer population especially is said to be large and hunters hope for good luck with the big game.

Figures on the kill this season are almost sure to top those of last season. Last year just under 12,000 deer were bagged in the Old Dominion.

A number of hunting clubs have been formed in Appomattox and nearby counties. Hunting rights have been secured for the members on large tracts of land. Meanwhile, the countryside has been dotted with "posted" signs, as property owners seek to protect their rights. Sportsmen are urged to respect property rights, and to avoid possibility of forest fires.

State forests in Appomattox, Cumberland, Prince Edward and Buckingham Counties will be opened to public hunting on November 20 and 22, a State Game Commission announcement states.

Two additional days hunting in them will be provided near the close of the season on January 4 and 5. Season and bag limits are the same as elsewhere east of the Blue Ridge. Laws in the counties involved forbid the use of high powered rifles for hunting.

Check Stations For Big Game

The law requires that all bear, deer and wild turkeys be reported and tagged at game checking stations during the coming hunting season, D. A. Conner, Game Warden of Appomattox County, has pointed out. Tags will be furnished only at the checking stations.

Checking stations in Appomattox County will be established at Hunter Dickerson's Store, Appomattox; Hunter Harvey's Mill, Spring Mill; J. K. Hamilton's Store, Evergreen; E. D. Wooldridge, Hurtsville; Woodrow Williams' Store, Pamplin; and W. J. Covington's Mill, Vera; M. A. Booker's Station, Gladstone; J. E. Herndon's Store, Stonewall.

Main purpose of the new regulations, which are in force in most of the states, is to aid in law enforcement and as a means of making a check of the annual kill to assist in managing the various game species.

Mrs. Godwin Garden Club Guest Speaker

"A Bouquet for Each Month in the Year" will be presented by Mrs. Whitney Godwin, of Suffolk, who will be the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Appomattox Garden Club Monday night, Nov. 22 in the school cafeteria at 8:00 o'clock. Mrs. Godwin will show slides to illustrate her talk.

Artistic exhibits for the evening will include: (1) Bountiful Harvest" – a composition using squash, pumpkin, gourd, or other fruit or vegetable as a container. (2) An arrangement suitable for a Thanksgiving Table, and (3) "Fall Phantoms" – a composition featuring dried material in a container of bark or weathered wood.

Horticultural exhibits will be (1) specimen of berry-bearing shrub, and (2) specimen of shrub or vine having colorful foliage.

Hostesses for the evening will be Miss Beulah Ferrell, Mrs. W. P. Ferrell and Mrs. W. E. Ferrell.

On Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, at 7:30 o'clock, Mrs. S. S. Shouse will conduct a flower arrangement workshop in the school cafeteria, for the Garden Club members. At this time Mrs. Shouse will share with club members the information she received from the Gregory Conway lecture, demonstration and workshop which she attended in Richmond recently. Each member is asked to bring her own container, large needle point holder and flowers so she may make an arrangement.